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## PRESIDENT TALKS TO CONGRESS

Address to That Body Made Monday Before Sailing For Peace Conference.

President Woodrow Wilson on Monday addressed the members of Congress and explained his reasons for attending the peace conference. He was received with cheers from the Democratic side and silence on the part of the Republicans except when he mentioned the valor of the American troops. The President also urged woman suffrage and measures for the coming reconstruction period.

President Wilson did not leave Washington Monday night for his start on the peace ship. He will leave today, and before his departure will name a successor to Secretary McAdoo as Secretary of the Treasury and Director General of Railroads.

Cooper's Underwear at

R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

Plans for the Community Fair have been modified to some extent. The Cabaret and the Friday evening supper will not be given, but otherwise the Fair will be held as advertised. In place of the supper, oyster stew, hot coffee, sandwiches and hot chocolate will be served at the booths at all hours. The premium list will be given, and candies, home made, and all kinds of Holiday gifts will be for sale. The Fair will open Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock, and will be open Friday evening and again on Saturday. The Fair is being given for the benefit of the Allied Relief Work and the Montgomery County Hospital Fund and everyone should attend and help these two worthy causes.

Best grade of Dress Ginghams at 28 cents per yard.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

### WILL MOVE TO TEXAS

Mrs. Thomas G. Denton will, about the first of January move to Texas to make her home with Mrs. M. D. Clayton. The many relatives and friends of this excellent lady will learn with regret of her determination to leave our city where she has lived so long but will wish her all happiness and prosperity in her new home.

Stacey-Adams & Co. Shoes at R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### HELP A GOOD CAUSE

The Community Fair will be given Friday and Saturday and the proceeds used for war work relief purposes. The admission is small so try and make arrangements to be among those present.

## Don't Be A Slacker BUY YOUR MONUMENTS AT HOME

and save agent's commission. Now is the time to place your orders for Decoration Day. I can furnish you anything you may want in Granite or Marble.

**S. M. JACKSON**  
MT. STERLING, KY.

Phone 753

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MT. STERLING, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1918.

## TOBACCO SALES IN JANUARY

Considerable Tobacco Ready But Big Buyers Unable to Get Here Until January.

Although there is considerable tobacco ready for the market the warehouses in this city will not open their sales until January 1st or the first week in January as it is impossible for several of the big manufacturers to have buyers on the market until that time. Mr. J. Will Clay, President of the Whitehall, of this city, wrote to several manufacturers when he saw where a few of the Lexington houses would open shortly and the reply to these letters we publish below.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 27, 1918. Whitehall Loose Leaf Tobacco Whse. Mt. Sterling, Ky.  
Gentlemen:

Replies to yours of the 26th, beg to state that the J. P. Taylor Co. will not have a buyer on the Lexington market or any other market in the State before January 1st.

This action is not an arbitrary one but dictated entirely by conditions as the markets in North and South Carolina were closed down absolutely for a little more than a month in consequence of the influenza epidemic in that section being so prevalent that sales were adjourned.

They recently started sales again which will make the time for the marketing of that crop lap over into the time at which usually the markets throughout the Burley Belt open, and it would not be physically possible for our company to bring buyers back to Kentucky from the Eastern markets before the time mentioned.

It would not only mean bringing back buyers but also book-keepers, factory men and our entire force.

The R. J. Reynolds Co. and the American Tobacco Co. are both in exactly the same position and it will not be physically possible for them to bring their organization to Kentucky before the time mentioned, notwithstanding any articles that have appeared in the newspapers apparently to the contrary.

We feel that it will be a very grave mistake on the part of the warehouse men to open their markets without a full corps of buyers and full competition.

Yours truly,

J. P. TAYLOR COMPANY,  
Per George R. Parkey.  
GRPM.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 27, 1918.  
Mr. J. Will Clay,  
Mt. Sterling, Ky.,  
Dear Sir:

Replies to your letter of the 26th. We beg to advise that it will be impossible for us to be represented on any of the Burley markets before January 1st.

Very truly yours,  
THE AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.

Per J. E. Lipscomb, Jr.

Mr. A. R. Robertson, of the Robertson Warehouse, has been notified that J. O. Tuck & Co. and the R. J. Reynolds Co. would not have buyers here until January 1st.

We urge the farmers of this section to hold their tobacco until the local market opens as we are sure that the prices here will be as high as received anywhere. We have three warehouses conducted by honest, competent tobacco men—why take your tobacco elsewhere?

Walk-Over Shoes at

R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### LARGE AMOUNT COLLECTED

Sheriff John G. Roberts has collected in taxes this year for the county, state and schools approximately \$100,000.00. This does not include franchise taxes and he confidently expects his receipts to exceed all former years.

### For Sale.

My large brick residence on Johnson avenue, one square from Maysville street. Now is your chance to buy a desirable home.

(23-2t) N. H. TRIMBLE.

### TO LEAVE THIS CITY

Their legion of friends will regret to learn that Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Derrickson and charming little daughter, Elise, will leave this city about the middle of December to make their home at Richmond, Ind. Mr. Derrickson holds a responsible position with the Pennsylvania Railroad and his duties require that he make the change of residence. We regret very much to see these excellent people leave our city but join friends in wishing them prosperity and happiness in their new home.

John B. Stetson Hats  
R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### PROMINENT COUPLE MARRY

Last Thursday County Judge E. W. Senff united in marriage Mr. James W. Marion and Miss Jessie Vivian Shay. The bride is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pierce, of this city, a very accomplished young lady and a member of one of Carter county's leading families, while the groom is a prominent and highly respected business man of Cynthiaburg, where the happy couple will reside. The Advocate extends congratulations and best wishes.

Silk Shirts at

R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### ANOTHER FLU VICTIM

Mr. Ben Igo died at his home in this city early Sunday morning after several weeks' illness of influenza. His death had been expected for several days as his condition had been critical for the past week. He is survived by his wife and several children who have the sympathy of everyone in their sorrow.

Overcoats \$15.00 and up  
R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### WITH THE MOVERS

Mr. G. Y. Triplett and family moved yesterday to the Pieratt residence on East Main street. Mr. B. F. Wyatt and family will occupy their property vacated by Mr. Triplett.

Mr. H. B. Turner and family are moving to the Rufus Hadden place recently purchased from Judge B. F. Day on Clay street. Mr. and Mrs. Keller Greene will move immediately to the Turner home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Senff will the latter part of this week move to their new home on North Maysville street. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Stover will move to the house on Holt avenue now occupied by Mr. Senff.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tipton have moved to the residence recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Shields Cunningham on Samuels avenue, which has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. David Howell.

### Notice!

As administrator of the estate of Belle Ealey, any person knowing themselves indebted to her will call and settle same, and any claim against her must be presented, duly proven for payment to the undersigned.

HENRY BOTT,  
23-31 Admr. Belle Ealey, Dee'd.

### APRON SALE

The Y. W. A. of the Baptist church, will have an apron, handkerchief and towel sale at the Isola building on Main street just above the grocery of C. B. Stephens & Son on Saturday, December 7th. This will afford everyone the opportunity to buy useful presents for Christmas gifts.

Flannel Shirts at

R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### For Sale.

Fourteen horse power Hagan gasoline engine, McCormick Huller and Shredder, all in good condition. See S. P. GREENWADE.

Phone 431 (23-2t)

## MUST REDUCE PRICE OF MILK

Food Administrator Serves Notice On Dairymen at Meeting Held Saturday.

At a meeting of the dairymen and those who sell milk even in small quantities held at the office of Food Administrator S. S. Pinney Saturday afternoon after a discussion of facts and after the Food Administrator had shown that the people of Mt. Sterling were paying more for milk than any town in the State, notice was served on them that the matter would be reported to the Federal Government for investigation and action, if the price of milk was not reduced by December 15th, from 18 cents per quart to 16 cents, which is the highest price being paid in the State anywhere and in many places it is being sold from 14 to 16 cents. We are informed that the stores in Lexington where milk can be bought, is being sold by the grocers for 15 cents, which includes their profit. It certainly stands to reason if milk can be produced and sold for that price in Fayette county it can also be done in Montgomery.

### WEDDING OF INTEREST

The following beautifully engraved wedding announcements were received this week by friends:

Mr. William Crittenden Hager announces the marriage of his daughter Ada Evelyn to

Mr. Claude Mack Clark on Wednesday, November the 27th nineteen hundred and eighteen Louisville, Kentucky At Home

After December Fifteenth Saint Albans, West Virginia

Mr. Clark is a son of the late Rev. H. D. Clark, for many years the beloved pastor of the Christian church in this city, and many old friends here will be interested in the announcement and wish Mr. Clark and bride much happiness.

Sweaters at

R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### AUTO ACCIDENT

Last Thursday an automobile driven by Mr. Albert Atkinson collided with the pony buggy of Mr. S. P. Greenwade, on North Maysville street, throwing his wife and baby out on the street. The accident is said to have occurred when Atkinson went to pass another car and did not see the buggy until too late to avoid the accident. It is understood to be little short of a miracle that Mrs. Greenwade and her little daughter were not killed or seriously injured.

Best grade of light Outing Cloth at 25 cents per yard.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

### IS THE FLU WORSE?

It is reported on the streets that quite a number of new cases of Spanish Influenza have developed in the last few days. It was thought for a while that the dreaded disease was on the wane but if reports are true it is as bad now as it has ever been.

Boys Suits at

R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### WOUNDED IN FRANCE

Among those reported wounded in action in France, published on Monday of this week in the daily papers appears the name of William Stacey of this county. Many friends hope the wound is not serious and that he will soon be well again.

Wanted—A good man to operate a gas engine and Ford truck. Steady position to right party. Apply to

MONARCH MILLING CO.



## COAL

## and

## FEED

Now is the time to lay in your coal for the winter. I am well stocked and can save you money on both your coal & feed. See me before you buy!

W. H. MASON  
(Successor to Coppage & Mason)

A Share of your Business will be Appreciated. (20t)

## Everybody's Store

This is the name we have earned

### WHY?

Because this is in reality **EVERYBODY'S STORE.**

You receive just as careful and courteous treatment here if you make only a penny purchase as if you had bought a thousand dollars worth.

**J. D. Hazelrigg & Son**

Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

CARPETS

LINOLEUMS

#### **WILL TAKE TEN MONTHS TO BRING SOLDIERS HOME**

Using the utmost expedition it will take at least ten months to bring back the American forces now in France to American ports. Boston, New York, Newport News and Charleston have been chosen as debarkation ports.

For Christmas presents give a magazine. I am agent for all the leading publications such as The American, Womans Home Companion and Farm and Fireside.

EMILY ROBINSON.  
at Duerson's Drug Store. 22-2t

#### **NO CENSORSHIP ON PEACE CONFERENCE**

There will be absolutely no censorship on the news which the American newspaper correspondents send back home. At the personal request of President Wilson the English and French Governments will entirely relax all censorship on dispatches telling of the deliberations.

100 Pairs of Ladies' High Top Shoes, the new feature dark grey boots, brown and black, worth \$6 at \$3.98 per pair.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

### **Lard Presses Sausage Mills Lard Cans Hog Scrapers**

AND A COMPLETE STOCK OF

**Hand Made**

### **BUTCHER KNIVES**

Each and Everyone Guaranteed  
to be Good.

### **Chenault & Orear**



**Yes, and For YOU**

Our stock is the largest and most varied it has ever been our pleasure to carry, and we invite you to call now and

### **MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS EARLY**

thereby avoiding the rush and receiving the very best of attention. Come in and let us assist you in making selections that will make the "Kiddies" happy on Christmas Morn and bring good cheer to your own heart.

### **A LOOK WILL BE APPRECIATED**

and we feel sure you will find the very articles right here on our shelves and tables that will please and give Christmas cheer to the "Little Folks."

## **THE FAIR**

### **STOP INDIGESTION THIS SURE WAY**

In the long list of human ills there is none that causes more suffering, or is more productive of serious results, than a disordered stomach.

It unfits you for business or pleasure, and opens the way for the most fatal disease to attack your system. When so troubled, take plenty of Vin Hepatica, the great vegetable prescription for stomach, kidney and liver troubles. You will be surprised and pleased at the quick relief it brings you. Get it here. W. S. Lloyd, Druggist, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

One lot of Ladies' House Dresses, the celebrated Electric brand, values up to \$3.50, at \$1.49.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

#### **TEACHERS BADLY NEEDED**

Prof. I. H. Boothe, of Richmond, Kentucky, representing the above school was in our midst a few days ago. His mission is to secure the co-operation of school people and all other parties interested in education to check the tendency toward the alarming and increasingly critical situation of a shortage of teachers. There are hundreds of children in Kentucky who shall suffer this year for lack of instruction. Unless something is done the future presents even a darker picture. Prof. T. J. Coates, President of the above school, has evolved a plan which seems feasible, practicable and based upon reason and common sense. It is this: He says to the County and City Superintendents, "You may know how many new teachers you need annually. Next year you perhaps will need more than heretofore. Now, you cannot expect to get flour from a mill unless you first send the grain, neither can you expect to receive teachers from a Teachers' Training School until you have first sent a sufficient amount of proper material to the same. Therefore, send us the material and we shall send you back teachers. You are the guardian of children in your county and city. The Eastern Kentucky State Normal School is likewise your school. Therefore, the responsibility is on you. What are you going to do about it? We believe that you will measure up to the imperative demands of the hour."

This seems to be reasonable and the people of Kentucky will wait patiently to see large results.

#### **Notice!**

All persons having claims against Sam Duff, deceased, will at once present same, properly proven, to (21-3t) H. Bruce Duff, Admr.

The Advocate for printing.

#### **Notice!**

All persons having claims against J. W. Mee, deceased, will at once present same, properly proven, for payment to H. R. Prewitt, attorney, or MRS. J. W. MEE, Admr.

#### **S. O. WOOD STILL IN HARD LUCK**

In a letter received from Stanley O. Wood, former editor of the Gazette, he says:

"I have requested my discharge, not only from the Officers Training Camp, but from the army, and expect to be a private citizen before the week ends. As usual, and as I expected, the "jinx" is still after me with respect to landing a commission. With the closing of hostilities the War Department issued an order in effect that all men over 32 years at time of graduation would not be issued a commission, but would be given what is termed an "eligibility stripe" and returned to civil life. In case of any future emergency, however, they would be privileged to take an examination for any grade up to Major, according to their age. Those men under 32 and over 27 will probably be given commissions in the Reserve Corps and sent home. The younger men will go to active duty. I was 32 Monday and have passed the final board and been recommended for a commission, but the Battalion won't graduate until next Friday, so you can see what luck I had. All of us were given the privilege of resigning and an immediate discharge tendered us. That's the course I took because it means getting home quicker. If I stay to get an "eligibility stripe" I won't even be allowed to wear an officer's uniform home. And if I were granted a reserve commission I would have to spend a hundred dollars or so for a uniform and equipment just to go home in. And it is exceedingly improbable that I would get a Reserve Corps Commission. This action was taken by the War Department when the necessity for officers ceased and was received here after all of us had passed the final board and been recommended. There are over fifty fellows who have followed me in asking for a discharge."

Editor Wood has been in the army since last May and had spent over four months in the Officers Training School at Camp Gordon, Georgia.

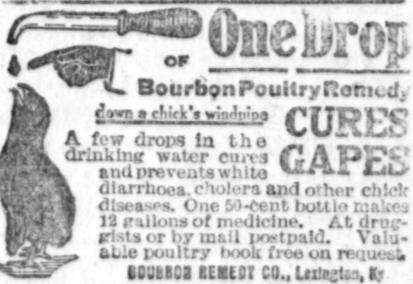
#### **GERMAN PEOPLE AND SOLDIERS REJOICING**

A Russian traveler, who has returned from Germany, says that the people and soldiers are openly rejoicing at the loss of the war, because it means the end of military demands of the hour."

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## **Mt. Sterling Garage MAIN STREET**

### **Buick AUTOMOBILES**

### **BEAUTIFUL AUTO RUGS**

### **BEST FOOT WARMERS**

### **WEED CHAINS**

All Acceptable and Desirable  
Holiday Presents

## **Mt. Sterling Garage**

### **MAIN STREET**

Just across the street from the building where they sell—  
**WAR SAVINGS STAMPS**

#### **IT'S THUMBS DOWN!**

So far as America is concerned it is thumbs down for Germany until the peace conference has finally decided her fate.

Germany's friends in America must be made to realize this.

For already the German propagandists are getting busy in her behalf. Now that the armistice has been signed, the war to all intents and purposes ended, they are talking sympathetically of the stricken fatherland.

Trying to sway public opinion in her behalf.

And it must be stopped.

Germany halted at nothing in her mad raid upon Europe. Every principle of humanity was tossed into the discard. No cruelty, no outrage, no form of destruction and devastation was too drastic. And in her methods of warfare she set a pace that horrified all civilization.

And finally, when she was all in, beaten to a standstill, and whipped beyond hope of recovery, she came to us with bloody hands up,

Pleading for mercy!

It wasn't America's war. Of all the nations involved America suffered the least. The appalling blood cost fell most heavily upon Europe.

And the German fate will in the finality be decided at European hands. Germany knows this. Knows that she can hope for little mercy at European hands. But she is counting largely upon the influence of sympathetic American public opinion.

But more she is counting upon her friends here to arouse that sympathy.

Right now the American duty is to block this propaganda.

To keep hands off and let Germany face her fate.

Every active German sympathizer found pleading the German cause should be reported to the federal authorities instantly.

With America it's thumbs down.

One lot of Ladies' House Dresses, the celebrated Electric Brand, values up to \$3.50, at \$1.49.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

#### **Notice!**

Notice is hereby given that by unanimous vote of the directors and stockholders of the undersigned company, it is closing up its affairs as a corporation.

This, November 12, 1918.

TIPTON, McALISTEE & CO.

Incorporated.

**HE SAYS--  
Conserve By Doing Your  
XMAS SHOPPING EARLY**

**We Are Willing  
ARE YOU?**

**JOHN W. JONES  
JEWELER  
MT. STERLING, KENTUCKY**

# McCormick & Oldham

MT. STERLING, KY.

## SPECIALS FOR ONE WEEK

50 Jersey Suits  
35 Khaki Suits  
25 Corduroy Suits

\$18.00 and \$25.00 Values

at

## REDUCED PRICES

### 65 MACKINAW COATS

All Sizes, at Greatly Reduced Prices

Our Cut Price Sale was a wonderful success, but we still have many bargains left for our customers.

**WATCH THIS SPACE  
NEXT WEEK.**

# McCormick & Oldham

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

## Frail, Sickly Children Improve Rapidly on Vinol

The reason we so strongly recommend Vinol for frail, sickly children is because it is a non-secret remedy which contains Beef and Cod Liver Peptones, Iron and Manganese Peptonates and Glycero-phosphates — but no oil — the very elements needed to build them up. It is delicious to the taste, and children love it.

### These Two Mothers Have Proved This.

Bainbridge, N.Y.  
Williamson, W. Va.  
"My little daughter, 13 years old, overworked and was run-down, tired all the time, nervous, had headaches, couldn't eat and had to stay out of school. Vinol has built her up. She has a good appetite, no more headaches and has returned to school again." — Mrs. Lester Andrews.  
— Harley Clay.

### Vinol Creates Strength

W. S. LLOYD, Druggist  
and all other good druggists

## Good Business Standing

Is the desire of all aspiring business men. There is nothing that has greater influence for good on your business standing than

### A BANK ACCOUNT

It gives you a rating and backing that can be obtained in no other way.

It is a guarantee of the soundness of your business methods.

Fact is, your bank account is the direct evidence of your business standing.

We solicit your account.

### The Exchange Bank of Kentucky

H. R. PREWITT, President,  
B. FRANK PERRY, Cashier.

### SOLDIER LETTER

"Some where Overseas."  
U. S. Army, E. H. 27, A. E. F.  
Nov. 9, 1918.

My Darling Mother, Father and  
Kids:

Will write you all a few lines as I know you want to hear from me. I am well and dandy and sure hope all at home are the same. Well, mother, I am safely over sea, and this sure is a beautiful country. I am a little tired and sleepy so don't expect a very long letter from me this time. Will tell you a little about my trip over. We were on the sea about — days, but the sea was not so very rough only about 24 hours it was awful rough. The first few days I was too sea sick to die. I sure did feed the fish for a day or so, but guess that will help to make a man out of me. I spent my birthday on the ship, enjoyed it real well. Say, I met a Y. M. C. A. man tonight from old Kentucky. He was from Paris and his name was Robert Hinton. I had a real nice talk with him. Well you know I can't tell you very much for I am so tired and sleepy. I have been on the go now for about three weeks, but I don't mind that for I sure am glad to know that I am over sea. We are having enough to eat and a place to sleep, so what else could I wish for, unless I was at home, but I will be back some day. I hope. Dave had a nice time while he was at home on his furlough. Tell all the boys to come on over here if they want to see the world, and to be in this great world war which is going on now. I certainly think a lots of my officers. We sure have a fine bunch of officers with us, and I am glad of it. Now, mother, what ever you and dad do, don't worry about me for I will return some day. Tell my old girl my address and tell her to write to me for I don't know when I will have a chance to write to her. Write and tell brother I will write to him when I have a chance to do so, and tell him to write me also. Mother, I guess when I get back you will let me have one more of those good old dinners like we once had. Hope Dad will get a good price for his tobacco this year. Mother, as I am tired and sleepy I will bring this to a close and lay down, so don't you worry about me. Tell all of my old friends Hello for me. May God bless us all 'till we meet again. Love to all. Your loving son. Kisses to all.

WILL TREADWAY.

P. S. I am glad to know that I am over sea for the cause I came over for. I am not like some of the boys am glad to say. Will write again soon.

To close out Odds and Ends of High Class Ladies' Shoes, broken sizes, values up to \$8.00, to close out at \$2.48 per pair—Dorothy Dodd and Gold Medal brand.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

### SUGAR CERTIFICATE SYSTEM HAS BEEN ELIMINATED

Distribution of sugar under the certificate system was discontinued December 1, under a recent order of the food administration. In announcing the order the administration emphasized that requests for conservation of sugar were in no way modified. Domestic consumers it was said, will be expected to observe the voluntary ration of four pounds per person a month and public eating places will be required to use only four pounds of sugar for each ninety meals served.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Carr sold Saturday to Thos Warner their residence, storehouse and about 5 acres of ground at Stoops, Montgomery county. The price paid was private, but was above \$5,000. Possession March 1, when Mr. Warner and family will move there to live. The sale was made through the agency of W. Hoffman Wood.

### For Sale

Four-year-old mare pony, trap and harness for sale. Pony perfectly safe for any child to drive, or will sell separately.

RUBIE EVANS,

Phone 803.

(22-3t)

### Women!

Here is a message to suffering women, from Mrs. W. T. Price, of Public, Ky.: "I suffered with painful..." she writes. "I got down with a weakness in my back and limbs... I felt helpless and discouraged... I had about given up hopes of ever being well again, when a friend insisted I

Take

# CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

I began Cardui. In a short while I saw a marked difference... I grew stronger right along, and it cured me. I am stouter than I have been in years." If you suffer, you can appreciate what it means to be strong and well. Thousands of women give Cardui the credit for their good health. It should help you. Try Cardui. At all druggists. E-73

### OF INTEREST HERE

The following article from the Dayton, Ohio, Daily News will be of interest to many friends of Dr. Manning in this county:

"Dr. B. M. Manning, 18 Krug street, who has been in the eastern part of the State fighting influenza for the past three weeks, arrived home yesterday and was called today by the United States Public Health Bureau to the State of Pennsylvania to assist in the suppression of the epidemic in that State.

Saturday morning about 5:30 o'clock the frame residence of Charles C. Boyd, near Judy, was burned to the ground, with all clothing, bedding and considerable furniture and household goods. A defective flue was the cause. The loss will reach \$3,000, partially covered by insurance. The fire was discovered when the family were at breakfast. Mr. Boyd has the sympathy of everyone.

### DANVILLE BOY TO WED CARNEGIE'S DAUGHTER

Danville society is deeply interested in the announcement of the engagement of Mr. Boswell Miller to Miss Margaret Carnegie, daughter of Andrew Carnegie, the multi-millionaire, of New York City. Mr. Miller is a son of Mrs. Boswell, of New York, and a grandson of the late Dr. W. C. Roberts, president of Centre College, and a nephew of Hon. W. H. Roberts, the present circuit clerk of Boyle county. Mr. Miller spent much of his boyhood days in Danville with his grandparents and is well and favorably known to Danville society. The engagement was announced last week at a birthday party at the Carnegie home in Fifth avenue in honor of Mr. Carnegie. Mr. Miller's bride-elect is the only daughter of the noted capitalist and philanthropist.

### BOURBON LAND SELLS WELL

The farm of A. S. Thompson, consisting of 336 acres, in Bourbon county, was sold at auction last week, bringing fancy prices. The home place of Mr. Thompson, consisting of 151 acres, was purchased by Matt Lair for \$250.25 per acre; the second tract of seventy-five acres went to Roger Crouch, of Little Rock, for \$210 per acre; the third tract, consisting of 112½ acres, went to Lee Stephenson for \$196.75 per acre.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE,

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials to its efficacy are numerous. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Let Us Insure Your

# TOBACCO

### Coleman's Insurance Agency

Rogers Bldg. Mt. Sterling, Ky. Phone No. 538

29-1yr

## HOT AIR FURNACES

I can furnish you practically any hot air furnace on the market. Why depend on the uncertain gas pressure? Be ready for another winter. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

Phone 706

(36-tf)

### C. P. PIERCE

### ANDY COOPER DIES IN FRANCE

Mrs. Susan Garrett, of Camargo, this county, was notified recently that Andy Cooper, with the American Expeditionary Forces, died in France October 21st, from wounds received in action, making another Montgomery county boy who gave his life to save civilization for coming generations.

Hope Bleached Cotton, 27 cents per yard. S. M. NEWMAYER.

## Business Efficiency

is demanded now more than ever before—as a requisite to the successful carrying on of the war as a requisite for meeting changed conditions. After the war business efficiency will be demanded as a requisite for the carrying on of new enterprises and readjustment to the new conditions which will confront the commercial world on every hand.

Business efficiency means efficiency training and efficient training means preparation. Are you prepared to do your share? If not, can you afford to put off starting that preparation another day?

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### THE LIQUOR DECISION

In the case of Barbour Vs. Commonwealth, the Court of Appeals last week reversed the Rowan Circuit Court and held so much of the Act of the last Legislature as sought to prevent the carrying of liquor from wet to dry territory, even for one's personal use, to be unconstitutional.

We have not seen the opinion and are obliged to rely upon newspaper reports of it, but from them, as we see it, many temperance people overestimate the effect of this decision and are unduly discouraged by it.

It must be borne in mind that this law sought to prevent intra-state shipments, (just as the Webb-Kenyon bill prohibits inter-state shipments), and further undertook to prevent the bringing of it into dry territory for any purpose.

This latter provision only is condemned. When it was lawful to ship liquor here, on an average of seventy-five quarts per day were so handled. The provision of the Act mentioned forbidding shipments is yet effective, so that the benefits of such Act are not fully lost. While quite a lot of liquor will now be brought in, the amount will be materially reduced, as compared with the time when shipments of it by express were lawful.

Help bring our boys back home by buying War Savings Stamps at the local Post Office.

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## MEAT PRODUCERS DID FULL DUTY

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Through increased production and conservation we will be able this year to export seven times our pre-war average exports of pork products. With the heavy demands added in caring for the millions who have been freed from German oppression, the Department of Agriculture and the Food Administration are justified today in our every action of stimulation of hog production. In the coming year the greatest world shortage will be in fats, and pork will help to save this situation. The efficacy of the policy of stimulated production has built up in this country supplies which will enable us to supply a very large part of the fat deficiency of the world. In beef there must be a shortage in Europe, due largely to limited refrigerator ship capacity. All freezer ships available, however, will be filled by America, Argentina and Australia.

The contribution made by the producers of this country to the war program as applying particularly to animal food products is illustrated by the following:

Reports compiled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicate an increase in cattle of 10,238,000 head and 12,441,000 hogs. These figures were compiled to January 1 last.

In this period there was a decrease in sheep of \$19,000 head. The indications are that this decrease will show an increase, according to recent reports.

Since January 1 unofficial information indicates an increase in hogs of not less than 8 per cent, and not more than 15 per cent, as compared with one year ago, with an increase in the average weight.

Following the request of the U. S. Food Administration for an increase in hog production for marketing in the fall of 1918 and the spring of 1919 the increase may yield not less than 1,600,000,000 pounds more of pork products than were available last year. Without this increase the shipping program arranged by Mr. Hoover regarding animal food products would have been impossible.

The dressed hog products during the three months ending September 30, 1917, amounted to 903,172,000 pounds, while for the corresponding months of 1918 the dressed hog products totaled 1,277,559,000, an increase of over 374,000 pounds for the quarter.

During the same period for 1917 the records of inspected slaughter of dressed beef showed 1,233,000,000 pounds as against 1,454,000,000 pounds for the three month period ending September 1, this year.

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In Their Darkest Hour

Whatever is necessary America will send. That was America's pledge to the interallied food council. And because the American food army had hitherto made good they took heart and went forward.

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### FAITH JUSTIFIED BY EVENTS.

I do not believe that drastic force need be applied to maintain economic distribution and same use of supplies by the great majority of American people, and I have learned a deep and abiding faith in the intelligence of the average American business man, whose aid we anticipate and depend on to remedy the evils developed by the war.—Herbert Hoover, August 10, 1917.

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## 105 ACRE FARM

One of the very best Blue Grass farms in the County, containing about 105 acres, six miles North of Mt. Sterling, on the Van Thompson Pike, will be sold at the Court House door, on

**Saturday, December 21**  
AT 1:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

The farm of Mrs. Lydia M. Wren will be sold to the highest bidder. The land has been exceedingly well cared for and is now in an excellent state of cultivation. It is well improved, is under good fencing, and besides other water supply, has Hinkston creek running through same.

The residence is a new frame, containing seven rooms, has a bath and built along the most recent architectural plans, with water in the house, and is one of the most modern homes in the county. All the usual outbuildings incident to a well improved place. Has a tobacco barn holding seven acres of tobacco. It has the old Wren residence containing 6 rooms and outbuildings.

The land is so located that it could be divided with a residence on each tract. It has a good orchard. The farm is close to Judy and close to a good school and church.

This is a rare opportunity to secure a good home, just what you want, just where you want it.

J. D. Wren, of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, or T. S. Wren, who lives on the premises, will take pleasure in showing prospective buyers over the premises.

**TERMS:** Ten per cent purchase price in cash on day of sale; 23 1/3 per cent March 1, 1919, when possession will be given, balance in two equal payments of 1 and 2 years, deferred payments to be secured by lien on land and to draw 6 per cent interest payable annually.

### MRS. LYDIA M. WREN.

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer

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# PUBLIC SALE

## Nice Cottage

As agent for W. P. Lawrence, I will offer at Public Auction on

**Saturday, Dec. 7th**

at 11:30 o'clock a. m., his cottage on Winn Street and a building lot adjoining. This cottage contains a nice hall, parlor, 2 bed rooms, dining room and kitchen, pantry, cellar and has metal roof. There is a sink in the kitchen, city water in the yard. The house is in good condition and a pleasant place to live. There is a garage, stable, and large garden spot. The lot is approximately 70 feet front with depth of over 300 feet. The house has been newly painted.

The building lot adjoining is about 75 feet front and over 300 feet deep, and there is none nicer in the city.

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**PERSONALS**

Miss Laura Williams spent Monday shopping in Lexington.

Mr. John O. Tyler, of Winchester, was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. W. H. Blevins was in Winchester Monday on business.

Judge E. W. Senff was in Lexington yesterday on business.

Mrs. Robert Tipton, of Fayette county, was a visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cline, of Winchester, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. John C. Gaitskill will leave tomorrow for Eustis, Fla., for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gatewood spent several days in Louisville the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Clay and Mr. Caldwell Clay are in Louisville for a few days.

Mr. Harry Hunt has returned from a visit to Mr. Clarence William at Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. J. Baird, of Lexington, has returned home after a visit to her sister, Miss Bessie Wilson.

Mrs. D. M. Clayton has returned to her home in Texas after a short visit to Mrs. T. G. Denton.

Mr. H. H. Coppage has resigned his position in Washington and returned to his home in this city.

Mr. Thomas Turner, of Boston, is visiting relatives here and will remain until after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Senieur have gone to Daytona, Fla., where they will remain for several months.

Mr. Lester McLaughlin, of Louisville, spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Lillie McLaughlin.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Stoops will leave the latter part of the week for Florida to spend several months.

Messrs. T. J. Bigstaff and T. B. Hill are attending the International Stock Show at Chicago this week.

Mrs. W. Frank Horton spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Cathey Woodford in Bourbon county.

Miss Florris Herriott, of Louisville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James E. Gay, in this city.

Mr. Clifton McCormick has secured his discharge from the navy and has returned to his home in the county.

Mrs. James Denton has returned to her home in Cincinnati after a visit to friends and relatives in this city and county.

Mr. Carroll Chenault, who has been stationed at Camp Grant in the S. A. T. C., has secured his discharge and returned to his home in this city. Mr. Chenault will remain here until the first of the year when he will enter Centre College at Danville.

**When the Cows Come Home  
You'll be Needing a Substitute for Grass**

COME in and see what we have. With a life time in the seed business, we might suggest a combination of feeds quite worth your knowing. Then too, you may not be satisfied with the flour you are using, if you are not using 'KEER PERFECTION' suppose you try a sack. It costs no more—Well ask your neighbor the rest.

**Grain I. F. TABB Seeds**

Mrs. Edwin James Norton, of Springfield, Ohio and Mrs. John D. Morris, of New Orleans, are visiting Mrs. C. W. Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Gwinn and two interesting children of Huntington, W. Va., spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Derrickson.

Mrs. J. H. McCarthy and son, "Billy," who have been visiting Major and Mrs. D. J. Burchett, have returned to their home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. John W. Eastin, who has been in the officers training camp in a Southern city, has been discharged and has returned to his home in this city.

Mr. Marvin Gay, who has been attending an officers' training school at Camp Zachary Taylor, has secured his discharge and returned to his home in this city.

Deputy County Clerk L. R. Douglas left Sunday for a short visit to his brother, Dillard R. Douglas, who is stationed at a military camp at Edgewood, Maryland.

Mr. Charles D. Yoem, who has been at the Central Officers Training School at Camp Lee, Va., was discharged Nov. 23rd, and has returned to his home in this county.

Hon. and Mrs. John G. Winn have returned from Rochester, Minn., where they have been for several weeks while Mr. Winn has been under the care of the famous Mayo Brothers. We are very glad to be able to announce that an operation was unnecessary and that he has practically been restored to health.

**GETTING ALONG NICELY**

Nice progress is being made on the big redrying plant being erected in this city and it is thought by those in charge of the building that it will be entirely completed by the time the tobacco season opens up here. The building of this mammoth plant means a great deal to the growers of the weed in this section, as well as to the laboring men as it gives employment to many.

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**ARRIVES IN ENGLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Judy have received a cablegram from their son, Lewis A. Judy stating that he has arrived safely in Liverpool, Eng. Mr. Judy is doing Y. M. C. A. work and will be sent from England to France.

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**THE SICK**

Mrs. W. W. Eubank, Jr., who has been in poor health for the past several months, has been brought to the home of Mr. W. W. Eubank, Sr., and is improving rapidly.

Chief of Police J. C. Tipton is ill with the "Flu."

Mrs. Michael Rooney, who has been sick with influenza for the past several weeks, is improving slowly.

Mr. Roger Hadden is able to be out after after a two weeks' illness of the "Flu."

Miss Neville Martin, who has been very ill for many weeks, is able to be up again, but it is thought it will be sometime before she will be entirely recovered.

We are glad to report that Mr. John H. Mason is some better this week.

Mrs. A. C. Bogie who has been dangerously ill with pneumonia is still in a serious condition. Mr. Bogie who has been quite ill with the Flu is a little better.

Misses Alma, Maurine and Dawson Cockrell are on the sick list this week suffering with influenza.

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**REFORM LOUDLY CALLED FOR**

Writer in Providence Journal Makes  
Out a Small List of Lan-  
guage Nonessentials.

Almost any observant citizen must be able to card index a few special "nonessentials" that are within the range of his own experience, writes F. H. Young in the Providence Journal. But perhaps it is the moth-eaten word and the stale phrase that are the most steadily objectionable. Another enterprising reformer has compiled a list of "unmentionables" which includes Earnest Workers, Live Wires, Hustling Business Men, Worthy Causes, Stanch Supporters, Sterling Qualities, Prominent Citizens, Manly Fellows, Wholesome Fun, Wholesome Friends, Wholesome Food, Civic Pride, Nature's Noblemen, Jolly Times and Sunny Dispositions.

He also confesses an inclination to be rude to women who say "Kid-dies."

More Unmentionables contributed by a kindred spirit are Substantial and Nourishing Meals, Refined Class of People, Brainy, Meaty, Tasty, Delicious and Nutritious Desserts, Red Corpuscles and Clean-cut Young Chap.

But what is the use of attempting to achieve any reform along these lines? Most of us have an instinct for the bromidic, and there is no reliable cure for it. Take these moldy phrases away from us and we should be stripped of the resources of coherent utterance. After all, there are only some four hundred thousand words in the English dictionary, and in ordinary speech many of them fly together by a natural affinity. Any effort to pry them apart would probably cause indigestion in anyone who uses stereotyped material for thought and expression.

**WONDERS OF SCIENCE.**

"The only German philosopher I ever heard seemed to go all around his subject without coming to a conclusion."

"The effect of diet. His line of thought evidently took on the shape of a pretzel."

**RELIGIOUS**

Preaching at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

Dr. W. R. Dye will hold service at the Episcopal church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Services at Presbyterian church Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. But don't forget the Prayer meeting at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.

**For Rent**

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Uncle Sam requests you to shop early so come in and select your gifts while our stocks are complete as it is always the best things that sell first.

We have no heavy overhead expense and have carried out our motto of "Quick Sales and Small Profits" in the marking of our entire Xmas stock, as a visit to our store will convince you.

Bring the Kiddies with you whenever you can as we delight in seeing their happy faces when they behold what "Old Santa" has prepared for them this Christmas.

For your convenience in making a selection, we list below a few of the things you will find here: It would take too much space to name them all.

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We feel that with our large and exclusive stock to select from "All the Kiddies" will be made happy on Christmas morn.

Our stock this year is the largest we have ever carried and a

### LOOK NOW

is especially invited. Buy early and get the full benefit of our immense stock.

### THE VARIETY STORE

W. H. WRIGHT, Proprietor.

### DELEGATES TO PEACE CONFERENCE NAMED

President Wilson himself will head the American representation to the peace conference. This was announced officially Friday night at the White House. The other members of the delegation will be Robert Lansing, Secretary of State; Col. E. M. House, Henry White, former Ambassador to France and Italy, and Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, former Chief of Staff.

The Advocate for Printing.

### For Sale

Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock roosters, one dollar each.

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### COST OF LIVING IN VIENNA

The cost of living in Vienna is "out of sight." An unpalatable and unsatisfactory meal costs from \$4 up. A suit of clothes brings \$500, while a pair of shoes costs from \$60 to \$90.

Hope Bleached Cotton, 27 cents per yard. S. M. NEWMAYER.

# PUBLIC SALE

As Executrix for R. Bruce Young, I will sell at public sale at the J. E. Young place, 8 miles east of Mt. Sterling on Slate Creek, near Spencer pike, on,

**Friday, December 6, 1918**

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property

1 Bay Work and Driving Mare, 12-years-old	39 Shocks of Small Corn
1 Brown Saddle Mare, 9-years-old	2½ or 3 Tons Good Clover Hay in Barn Loft
1 Black Cow, fresh Dec. 12	1 Good 3-inch Wagon
1 Red Cow, extra good, fresh March 1	1 Mowing Machine, good as new
3 Heifers to freshen in March	1 Deering Rake, good as new
1 Beef, corn fed, weight about 675 pounds	1 Riding Cultivator, nearly new
8 Good Yearling Steers	1 Good Steel Beam Turning Plow
6 Good Shoats, weight about 50 pounds	1 Lot of Other Plows
1 Fat Hog	1 Good 2-horse Sled
12 Geese	1 Rack Sled
7 Indian Runner Ducks	1 Rubber Tire Buggy and Harness
100 Pure Blood Plymouth Rock Hens	1 Set Wagon Harness
Some Irish Potatoes	1 Lot of Shovels, Hoes, Rakes and Small Tools
Some Turnips	1 Primrose Cream Separator, good as new
7 Stacks of Hay and Oats	Some Household Goods
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### MIGRATORY BIRD LAWS

Don't take a shot at a wood or eider duck or you may get into trouble. These birds, among others, are wholly protected by the new Federal Migratory Bird Law.

This protection is the result of a treaty between the United States and Canada making certain birds in most of the North American continent immune from shot or bullet. Recent ratification by the Senate gives effect to the treaty.

For the most part there are but slight changes in the law as it was established by the Weeks-McLean bill several years ago.

Some of the main features of the regulations as they have now become effective are:

No spring open season at all. The fall open season throughout the country is made more uniform than before. In a general way this is between September and January 31, with a period of not more than 3 and one-half months for individual species. There are some exceptions, for example, the shore bird season in certain New England and Middle Atlantic States which opens August 16 and closes November 30.

All States in the country have the right to enforce their own individual laws, provided these do not interfere with Federal rulings. They are not permitted to extend the Federal open season.

Uniform bag limits are set for the whole country; a hunter is not allowed to ship more than two days' bag limit in any one week. The daily bag limits for one person are as follows:

Ducks (except wood and eider), 25 in aggregate of all kinds; geese, 8 in aggregate of all kinds; rails, coots and gallinules, 25 in aggregate of all kinds; black-bellied and golden plovers and greater and lesser yellowlegs, 15 in aggregate of all kinds; Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, 25; woodcock, 6; doves (mourning and white-winged), 25 in aggregate of both kinds.

### NO NIGHT HUNTING

No night hunting is allowed. This prohibits the hunting of migratory birds between sunset and a half hour before sunrise.

The sale of migratory birds is prohibited unless a permit is issued by the Secretary of Agriculture. In cases where migratory birds become injurious to agriculture, permits may sometimes be issued to kill them.

The propagation and sale of migratory waterfowl on game farms and preserves is not only allowed, but encouraged.

The birds wholly protected by the law are all insectivorous birds, band-tailed pigeons, cranes, wood ducks and either ducks, swans, curlews, upland plover and shore birds with the exception of black-bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, woodcock and the greater and lesser yellowlegs. Certain non-game birds also wholly protected. These are auklets, gulls, greges, guillemots, herons, loons, puffins, terns and the like.

### OPEN SEASONS

As an example of the manner in which the open seasons for individual species vary in different States, but are within the outside time limits set by the new law, take the case of waterfowl (with exceptions mentioned) coot, gallinules and Wilson snipe or jacksnipe. The open season for these birds is from September 16 to December 31 in the following States:

Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, New York, (except Long Island), Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Nevada, and the portion of Oregon and Washington east of the summit of the Cascade Mountains.

From October 1 to January 15 is the open season in Rhode Island, Connecticut, Utah and the portion of Washington and Oregon west of the summit of the Cascades. In Alaska the open season for these

birds is from September 1 to December 15. In the following States it is, from November 1 to January 31: Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Arkansas and Louisiana.

October 16 to January 31 is the open season on Long Island, New Jersey, Delaware, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California.

In the same manner as above the open season for plover and woodcock vary according to locality.

Any one desiring information which is not given above can secure same by writing the Department of Agriculture, Washington.

100 Pairs of Ladies' High Top Shoes, the new feature dark grey boots, brown and black, worth \$6 at \$3.98 per pair.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

### LETTER FROM FRANCE

October 27, 1918.

"Somewhere in France."

Dear Brother:

How are you by this time? I guess you think I am not going to write to you but I have been so busy. I am doing guard duty now as a M. P. It is easy in turn all the time. I like it over here fine. This is a fine country here. Everybody is well and feeling fine, have plenty to eat and a good place to sleep. We have all the privileges we want. I don't know how long we will be here as we move so often. The people are so nice to us. There are lots of girls over here, but we have a time trying to get them to understand us and we can't understand them, so you can guess what a time we have. Plenty of beer and wine to drink. You know I don't like either. How is everybody at home?

I have written them three letters. Tell Papa I got a letter from him the 26th of October. Will answer it as soon as I can. How are Nettie and Junior? Give them my love, and would like to see you all. I can't tell much but will tell you lots when I see you. Well, Brother, give my love to all at home. Tell them not to worry about me for I am all right. Don't forget to write to me. I hope these few lines will find you all well. Love and best wishes to all.

Corp. Arnold Johnson,  
A. E. F. Division 38,  
Co. K., 149 U. S. Pref.

### For Sale

Pure Rhode Island cockerels and hens, also some late cockerels. Will make prices if sold immediately. Want to make room for winter.

Miss Ola Quisenberry,  
Route 2. Mt. Sterling, Ky.  
(22-4t)

### MOONEY SENTENCE COMMUTED

The sentence of Thomas J. Mooney, sentenced to be hanged on December 13 for the deaths of ten persons killed by a bomb explosion in San Francisco during a preparedness parade in July, 1916, was commuted by Gov. W. D. Stephens last week to imprisonment for life.

Court action to save Mooney from the gallows was exhausted by the prisoner, the Supreme Court of the United States having recently decided it could not review the case. Threats of a national strike in case the Governor did not intervene had been made in various parts of the country and some time ago it was reported that President Wilson had written the Governor to see that Mooney suffered no injustice. The trial judge had also requested a new trial for Mooney.

To close out Odds and Ends of high class Ladies' Shoes, broken sizes, values up to \$8.00, to close out at \$2.48 per pair—Dorothy Dodd and Gold Medal brands.

S. M. NEWMAYER.



## An International Service Built on Tiny Profits Per Pound

Some industries have been able to get in step with war demands more quickly than others.

In many cases mighty plants have sprung up—but at a prodigious cost.

The packing industry was able to adapt itself to unheard of demands more quickly, perhaps, than any other industry. And this was because the vast equipment of packing plants, refrigerator cars, branch houses, etc., had been gradually developed to its present state of efficiency, so that in the crucial hour it became a mighty international system for war service.

And how had this development taken place?

Not by making vast inroads into the capital wealth of the country, but largely by using, from year to year, a portion of the profits, to provide for expansion.

Swift & Company's profits have always been so tiny, compared with sales, that they have had practically no effect on the price of meat (amounting to only a fraction of a cent per pound).

And yet the owners of the business have been content with reasonable returns on their capital, and have been able, year after year, to put part of the profits back into the business to provide for its expansion.

These fractions of tiny profits have been repaid to the public many fold in the form of better service, and better and cheaper meat, and made it possible for Swift & Company to meet, undaunted, the sudden cry for meat for overseas.

Could any other method of financing a vital industry involve less hardship to the people of the country? Could there be a better instance of true "profit-sharing" than this return in added usefulness and in national preparedness?

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### MRS. RHODA FOREMAN DIES

1,500,000 PRISONERS

FREED BY GERMANS

Mrs. Rhoda Foreman, aged 37 years, died at her home, 304 East Fifth street, Lexington, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 23rd, of pneumonia, the contributing cause being influenza. She is survived by her husband, Ebb Foreman; her children, William and Allen Foreman, a half brother and sister, Goebel and Buhla Cox; two sisters, Mrs. Frank Ramsey, of Winchester, and Mrs. Bettie Langston, of Houston, Texas; one brother, Claude Cox, of San Antonio, Texas. Mrs. Foreman was a member of the Felix Memorial Baptist church and beloved by all who knew her. Mrs. Foreman formerly resided in this city.

The Advocate for printing

S. M. NEWMAYER.

## PUBLIC AUCTION

Wednesday, December 11th, 1918

AT 10 A. M.

COUNTY INFIRMARY FARM CONTAINING 185 ACRES  
On the Premises, Nine Miles From Lexington on the Walnut Hill Pike  
The improvements consist of a main dwelling, eight rooms, bath, hot and cold water throughout; two cottages, seven rooms each, baths, furnace heated; eleven cottages, two rooms each; two stock barns; one twenty-stall cow barn; new block-tile silo; milk house; two smoke houses; one re-enforced concrete cistern, capacity ninety thousand gallons; two orchards; a complete and perfect water and sewerage system; forty acres have been sown to wheat, sixty acres in Bluegrass. Land lays well and fencing is good. The farm has one-half mile pike frontage. A graded school adjoins the property, and church is within a half-mile. This place would make an ideal dairy farm.

THE FARM WILL BE SOLD IN TWO TRACTS AND THEN AS A WHOLE

TRACT NO. 1. Contains about 115 acres with all improvements above mentioned.

TRACT NO. 2. Adjoins the above tract on the north, contains about seventy acres, without any improvements; everlasting water.

TERMS: Ten per cent purchase price cash on day of sale; 23 1-3 per cent March 1, 1919, when possession will be given; balance in equal payments, one, two, three, four and five years, bearing 6 per cent interest, payable semi-annually. To secure deferred payments a lien will be retained on the property. Further information will be furnished by

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You Save as Much as \$10.00 on Some Garments

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## The Rogers Company

incorporated

### Howard's Mill.

There has been some tobacco stripped in this section, most of the corn is cribbed in good condition, meat hogs are selling from \$15 to \$16 per hundred.

There are a few new cases of Flu in the community.

Wm. Triplett had a narrow escape Saturday morning while starting to haul rock near the bridge across Slate at this place when his team became frightened and started to run. They ran into the fence, tore up 3 posts and threw Mr. Triplett out of the wagon on his head cutting two large gashes near his eye and bruised his face badly, but we are glad to say he is getting along nicely at this writing.

Jim Griffen and family and Earl Marklan motored over to Paris Sunday.

Andrew Johnson and family, of Spencer, visited his sister here Sunday.

A surprise wedding of Wednesday, Nov. 27th, was that of Mr. Clayton Wills to Miss Cora Myers, both of the Spencer neighborhood. The wish of the writer is that they may live a long, happy and prosperous life with wealth, health and the golden stair to Heaven after death. Can Howard's Mill wish any more?

Everwear Hose in boxes at  
R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### MEMORIAL FOR BOYS

Mr. H. G. Hoffman and Mr. H. B. Turner, of the Sentinel-Democrat, are behind a movement to erect some suitable memorial shaft or building in honor of the boys who have done their bit in the war. Such a movement should have the hearty co-operation and help of everyone and we feel sure that the project backed by these two young men will be a success. We are ready to help in any way possible.



"PEACE ON EARTH" will mean more this Christmas than ever. The time for stinting is past. GIVE is the new slogan. Give some of your money in charity, and give appreciated gifts, that will be kept for years—gifts that bespeak love and affection.

BRYAN & ROBINSON  
JEWELERS

to meet in every community in the district on Thursday and appoint delegates to a meeting to be held in Owensboro on Saturday, when plans for an organization will be discussed.

At the warehouses in the western section of the city better feeling prevailed. At the Owensboro warehouse 300,190 pounds of dark tobacco sold at an average of \$14.37. There were only five or six rejections by the farmers, it was announced.

Last year the average on the opening day was \$16.65. In 1914 it was \$11.82 and in 1915, \$14.63.

It was admitted on every hand that a poor lot of tobacco was offered for sale Monday, but at the same time tobacco of a like quality brought higher prices last year.

Overcoats \$15.00 and up  
R. E. PUNCH & CO.

### BRITISH WANT KAISER

The British War Council will press their claims for the extradition of former Kaiser Wilhelm on Holland. This was announced Monday night in London, and it is believed that the allied peace conference now meeting with Lloyd George considered the question during their session at 10 Downing street.

One lot of Ladies' House Dresses, the celebrated Electric Brand, values up to \$3.50, at \$1.49.  
S. M. NEWMAYER.

### REVOLT AT LOW

#### TOBACCO PRICES

The expected happened at the opening of the tobacco market in Owensboro Monday. Prices did not satisfy the farmers. The result was that several hundred tobacco growers revolted, held a mass meeting and unanimously voted to take their tobacco back home, many of them having driven a distance of thirty miles.

The greatest trouble prevailed at the opening sale at the new Daviess county warehouse in the eastern section of Owensboro.

When it was seen that the lower grades that did not sell under \$10 a hundred pounds last year, were going in some instances as low as \$4, the growers became greatly excited.

Ben Lott, of Hancock county, mounted a girder in the warehouse and addressed the farmers, urging them not to allow their tobacco to be sacrificed at such low prices.

Scores of farmers went to the court house before noon and speeches were delivered, in which the low prices were denounced.

Another meeting was called for 1 o'clock, which was attended by at least 500 farmers. Henry S. Berry acted as temporary chairman. He told the farmers that they were cowards if they did not stand for higher prices. A number of similar speeches were made.

A motion was made and adopted that every farmer who had tobacco on the loose leaf floors take it back home. Committees were appointed

What to Buy  
for Christmas Gifts?  
Look Over These Suggestions

## WHAT TO BUY FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS? Look Over These Suggestions

HOLIDAY NECKWEAR  
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## THE NOVELTY STORE

Cooper's Underwear at  
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When renewing your subscription to The Lexington Herald renew through me.

EMILY ROBINSON, Agent.  
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Do your Christmas shopping now.  
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Wanted—At once, good man to operate a gas engine and Ford truck. Steady position to right party. Apply to  
MONARCH MILLING CO.

John B. Stetson Hats  
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Everwear Hose in boxes at  
R. E. PUNCH & CO.

Flannel Shirts at  
R. E. PUNCH & CO.

Strayed—from my place on the Paris pike, Nov. 24th, a black Poland China Sow, weight about 350 pounds. Phone 639-W.  
R. R. 3. C. E. DUFF.

Do your Christmas shopping now.  
S. M. NEWMAYER.

# PUBLIC SALE

OF

## LAND, STOCK, IMPLEMENTS AND FEED

ON

# Thursday, Dec. 12

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

I will sell on the premises, about 11 miles from Lexington, just off the Richmond Pike and on a splendid pike, my farm (formerly owned by Bowman and Land), containing about 600 acres, and will be sub-divided into four tracts.

TRACT No. 1 comprises about 175 acres; has on it a 5-room residence, an 8-acre tobacco barn, good stock barn and other outbuildings; this tract is well watered and extra well fenced. About 75 acres of old Blue Grass sod. The remainder of this tract is in a high state of cultivation.

TRACT No. 2 comprises about 90 acres, of which 25 acres is in old Blue Grass and the balance in a high state of cultivation. Well watered and fenced.

TRACT No. 3 comprises about 140 acres. Has a 7-room house, good stock barn, corn crib, meat house and other outbuildings, and one of the best ponds in Fayette county; is well fenced; 50 acres in old Blue Grass sod; 30 acres in clover sod; balance in a high state of cultivation.

TRACT No. 4 comprises about 200 acres. Has a splendid 6-room house; has a splendid 10-acre tobacco barn, good stock barn, machine shed, stock scales, ice house and other outbuildings. 140 acres of this tract is in Blue Grass, most of which is virgin soil. The remainder is in a high state of cultivation. This tract is watered by two never-failing ponds and a splendid spring. One of these ponds cost \$2,000 to make it. This is a real home and a money-maker for any one looking for a farm.

Mr. Little was never known to offer anything for sale that he didn't sell. Now, as he has invested largely in oil lands in Eastern Kentucky, he has instructed us to sell this without by-bid, reserve or limit.

At the same time and place, beginning at 10 o'clock, Bowman and Land will sell all their live stock, farming implements, corn, fodder, etc.

Terms of real estate liberal and made known on day of sale.

E. R. LITTLE  
BOLIVAR BOND AND C. E. BUCKLEY

REAL ESTATE AGENT AND AUCTIONEER

THE LADIES OF THE RED CROSS WILL SERVE A SUBSTANTIAL LUNCH

# PIEPER'S General Clean-Up Sale

SOMETHING YOU NEED.  
SOMETHING YOU MUST BUY

Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
Dec. 5, Dec. 6, Dec. 7.

6 Table Glasses for	25c	Clean Easy Soap and Powder	6 for 25c
Crochet Thread	5c each	Handkerchiefs—Full Line	
Cedar Oil	.3 Bottles for 25c	Table Damask	.69 and .98c a yd.
Mens' Fleeced Lined Union Suits	\$1.79	White Dimity	.19c yd.
Child's Fleeced Lined Union Suits	.89c	Small Graphophone Records	3 for 25c
Popular Novels	8c each	Karo Syrup	.45 and .90c
Ivory Soap	4 cakes for 25c	Mens' Ties	.25 to .75c
		Shoe Polish	2 for 25c

**Two Big Specials:** Cedar Oil Mop, with Bottle of Oil, complete, 25c  
Palm Oil Soap : 9c

We have just received some real Coca Cola

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE AT PEACE CONFERENCE

For the first time in history English will probably be the official language of the peace conference. French has long been recognized as the medium of diplomacy.

## LAND FAILS TO SELL

After having the land bid up to \$105.00 per acre the Richardson farm and lot sale at Camargo, this county, was called off by the owner. W. Hoffman Wood, the Real Estate Man, had charge of the sale.

Mr. Badway George, of the Jeffersonville neighborhood, has purchased of Mr. Chris Lauth his home and five acres of land on Richmond street at a price of \$6,500. This is a nice piece of property and was purchased cheap.

# Modern Cottage Home

AT

# PUBLIC AUCTION

As agent for Dr. S. F. Hamilton, I will sell at public outcry, on the premises on Holt Avenue, on

**Saturday, Dec. 7th, 1918**  
AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

his modern cottage home, adjoining the property of Judge Ben R. Turner and J. M. McGuire. This cottage is situated on a large lot fronting 57 feet on Holt Avenue, and running a depth of about 275 feet deep. The lot is large enough for a good garden and chicken yard and rear yard. The cottage is frame, under good roof and is in nice condition having been newly papered and painted on the inside. It contains hall, three nice rooms and kitchen and bath room, and the residence is fitted throughout with gas for heating and lighting and also has electric lights. There is no more desirable cottage in Mt. Sterling than this one and the neighborhood cannot be excelled. Close to schools and churches, on good street, and just the right distance from the business center, this home is so located that it will always be in demand. Good cistern at rear of residence and city water.

Terms of sale will be made easy, and possession of the property will be given within thirty days or less time.

Will be pleased to show the property to prospective purchasers.

**W. HOFFMAN WOOD,**

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Agent for Dr. S. F. Hamilton.  
W. M. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

## Stoops

Owing to sickness and other things farmers have not made much speed stripping tobacco.

Wheat continues to show good growth and has a wonderful start to go through the winter.

Will Carr, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is improving.

Miss Dexter Piersall has returned to her home near Winchester after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Satterfield.

The writer and family have been laid up the past two weeks with influenza, and, as a consequence, we were unable to send in any items.

Miss Gracie Moore has been visiting the family of Morton Greene near Sharpsburg.

Miss Rosa Bowles and little brother Will, are seriously ill with pneumonia, following influenza.

Leonard Roberson was a visitor at Lexington the past week.

Will Foley was at Camp Gordon, Ga., last week to see his brother, Carl, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia.

Rev. Robt. L. Bailey, of Owingsville, bought Saturday the Thos. L. Darnell farm near here, containing about 100 acres, for \$200 per acre.

Mrs. J. E. Roberson and children, of Lexington, visited the family of J. T. Roberson, Sunday.

Influenza struck our village broadsides a few days ago, hardly anyone escaped it.

Misses Lillian and Eula Copher visited their uncle, Frank Dragoo, near Bunker Hill, Friday and Saturday.

Hope Bleached Cotton, 27 cents per yard. S. M. NEWMAYER.

## HUNDREDS OF PLANES TO DISTRIBUTE MAIL

Captain Benjamin B. Lipsner, director of the United States Aerial Mail Service, has announced that the War Department had turned over to the use of the mail service "hundreds of aeroplanes."

Captain Lipsner said he was not in a position to announce the exact number, but that the machines would be used as rapidly as possible in extending the aerial mail service to all cities of the country. The service anticipates that it will be able to organize its personnel from hundreds of army aviators returning from the front.

Plans for the laying of new routes and the extension of the service on a nation-wide scale have not as yet been formulated, but it is expected that the extension will begin in the near future. The New York-Chicago aerial mail service will be placed in operation this month.

Best grade of light Outing Cloth at 25 cents per yard.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

## COTTAGE SALES

Mr. B. F. Caudell sold the past week to Mrs. Green Reasor, of the Spencer neighborhood, his cottage residence on Richmond avenue, for \$3,400. Possession January 1.

Henry Warders, of Flat Creek, has purchased from Mr. Johnson, a house and lot on Nevada avenue in the Johnson addition, for \$1,600. Possession March 1st. Mr. Warders and family will move there to live. They are excellent people and we welcome them to Mt. Sterling.

## Cottage For Sale.

Four room cottage in Smithville, will be sold cheap if sold at once, see Byron Bowen.

## LANDS IN FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wyatt have received a card from their son, Jas. W. Wyatt, stating that he has landed safely in France. Many friends will be interested in this news, we are sure.

## BUYS CITY PROPERTY

Mr. W. P. Lawrence bought the Paul Weckesser property for \$2935 at the sale of same Friday. W. Hoffman Wood, the Real Estate Man, had charge of the sale. The bidding was spirited. It is a nice piece of property.

Do your Christmas shopping now.  
S. M. NEWMAYER.



CHRISTMAS MEANS  
MORE THAN EVER

Give Substantial Gifts and Do  
Your Shopping Early



## TIMELY SUGGESTIONS

Mufflers  
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## MARRIES BATH COUNTY MAN

Friends were agreeably surprised to learn that Miss Alma Turley, youngest daughter of Mrs. Samuel Turley, of this city, and Mr. Lester Pendleton, of Bath county, were united in marriage at Lexington last Tuesday, the ceremony being witnessed by only a few close relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Miss Turley is a most attractive young woman with a sweet and lovable disposition, possessing those rare traits of character that go toward making the perfect wife and helpmate. Mr. Pendleton is known to but few of our people but is said to be a splendid young man of sterling character and has the respect of all who know him. The young people will make their home on the groom's farm in Bath county. The Advocate extends congratulations and very best wishes.

Andy Cooper, of the Camargo neighborhood, according to a message received by a relative a few days ago, died in France from wounds received in battle with the Huns. He was well known and highly respected by all who knew him. Death is always sad but it should be consoling to his relatives to know that he gave his life in a noble cause.

**WRIGHT CO. HITS GOOD WELL**  
It is reported that the Wright Oil Company has hit quite a large gusher on its holdings in Lee county. The flow is reported from 150 to 350 barrels per day. Most of the stock is owned locally and it is said the stock is advancing in price very rapid. This company now has several flowing wells.

The Advocate for printing.

# Publ c Sale

I will offer for sale at Public Auction, at the residence of Mrs. T. G. Denton, on Clay Street, on

**Saturday Dec. 7, 1918**

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

the following personal property:

1 Kitchen Table  
1 Set Bed Springs  
3 Gas Heaters  
1 Gas Range

1 Suit Walnut Furniture  
Several Chairs  
Carpets  
Matting and Linoleum

1 Buick Roadster

Many Other Articles Too Numerous to Mention

**KELLER GREENE**

## Demand Quality In Hardware

With prices high as they are, it is poor business judgment to accept anything but the very best.

Cheap hardware now is hardly worth carrying home.

We carry a strictly high-class stock of all kinds of Hardware, and guarantee your money's worth on every purchase.

Our quality goods protect the purchaser.

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Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

#### STANLEY'S MAJORITY 5,588

At the official count of Kentucky's vote at the recent election returns from all the counties show that A. O. Stanley received 184,385 votes and Ben L. Bruner 178,797 votes, giving Stanley majority of 5,588 votes. Congressman Langley was re-elected in the Tenth District by a majority of 6,773.

Best grade of dark Outing Cloth were received last week at Camp Zachary Taylor for the demobilization of 6,000 soldiers of the Field Artillery Replacement Depot.

S. M. NEWMAYER.

#### XMAS SAVING CLUB

The Xmas Savings Club at the Traders National Bank will close next Saturday night and checks will be mailed out about December 10th. About \$20,000 will be paid out to club members. The new Club will start about December 20th.

Orders from the War Department were received last week at Camp Zachary Taylor for the demobilization of 6,000 soldiers of the Field Artillery Replacement Depot.

## PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction on

**Thursday, December 12th**  
beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., on the premises near  
Grassy Lick, the following described property:

1 Aged Work Horse	1 Oliver Chill Turning Plow
1 Mare Mule	2 Double Shovel Plows
1 5-year old Driving Horse, gentle for lady	1 McCormick Mower, good
1 3-year-old Jersey Cow, fresh in January	Diggers, Shovels, Hoes and Forks
1 4-year-old Cow, fresh 1st of Feb.	Some Corn and Fodder
1 3-year-old Grade Cow, fresh in May	Lot of Baled Rye Straw
12 650-lb. Yearling Steers	Some Timothy and Clover Hay
6 750-Steers	1 Good Malleable Range Stove
2 600-lb. Heifers	1 Heating Stove
5 Good Steer Calves	1 Cream Separator
3 Heifer Calves	Lot of Carpets and Rugs
1 Brood Sow, due to farrow Dec. 25	Set of Oak Furniture
1 Poland China Sow and 8 Pigs	1 Couch
1 200-lb. Boar	1 Linoleum
40 Good Ewes	Lot of other Household and Kitchen Furniture
	2000 Tobacco Sticks

#### TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

## J. T. DUNAVENT

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer

#### ATTENTION FARMERS!

Buy your field seed, any and all kinds from me. Prices right and quality guaranteed.

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We are agents for Willys-Knight, Overland and Chevrolet which are among the best cars on the market. Come in and let us talk the matter over with you. We are prepared to do all kinds of repair work and have an expert in charge of this department.

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#### LETTER FROM TOM COYLE

A. E. F., Oct. 30, 1918.

Dear Mama—

I have just received four of your letters at once. Some were six weeks old but you bet your letters never get too old for me to enjoy getting them. I got a little homesick when I heard of the bunch going fishing and I had to laugh when you wrote that you hoped they would catch a whole lot. The idea of that bunch catching lots of fish is a joke. I hope Mr. Tripp didn't catch pneumonia or la grippe. I know they had a good time and I also know they didn't catch anything worth cooking. We have gone fishing once but we just threw in a few hand grenades and up came the fish. Big ones too.

It has not gotten cold here yet and I don't think it will be near as cold here as in the States, but I am figuring on coming back before long, but of course I can't tell as the Germans are hard to beat. We have them on the go now and we will never stop unless the boches give in.

I am in a quiet place now except Fritz throws over a few at night. He came very near getting us the other night, so we shut off the engine and flew the works. A few "iron rations" came over tonight but they did not hit close to us. About half the shells of small calibre (3 inches) failed to go off. It may be that Fritz is short of high explosives but he has quite a few yet so I am going to be careful and keep an eye peeled. Tell those girls down at Sharpsburg that I'll be in soon to see them. I forgot to tell you I was growing me a little mustache. It looks just like some one had hit me in the lip with a fever worm but it is real handy for straining soup. I work with a fellow from Kentucky and we have been trying to figure out how we are going to make a living when we get back. I think I will take in washing as that is about all I have learned in the army except to keep my mouth shut when things don't suit me. A lot of us have learned our lesson all right and if I am not mistaken boys will be cured of all their bad habits and learn a few good ones. There are lots of fine boys in the army and a crook has no chance in most outfits. When I get back and if you catch me out of the city limits you can break my noodle. I've traveled enough for the whole family and will have lots to tell you when I get back.

Those old men you heard talking had better stay at home and let "George" do the scrapping as this life over here is sure rough on old clothes. By the way I forgot to tell you I had fleas. Something had been biting me so I took a look today and aired my clothes. I found one that would run a dog into fits. It was one I got out of a German dug out and he had a big sign on his back, "made in Germany," so I just pinched him a little and he hollowed "Kamerad." I just tightened up on him the same way our boys are doing old Fritz. My head is itching and I am afraid to look at the comb. If the weather stays pretty I think I will take a bath in the Spring. Get me?

Well, I had better ring off for the present so here's hoping you are still well and that it won't be long before I can come back to the good old Kentucky home.

Love to All,  
TOM G. COYLE.

One lot of Ladies' House Dresses, the celebrated Electric Brand, values up to \$3.50, at \$1.49.  
S. M. NEWMAYER.

The State Council of Defense calls on Kentuckians to fly the Union Jack December 7 in recognition of the part taken by Great Britain in bringing the war to a victorious close.

Robert McClain, of Little Mount, Spencer county, was accidentally killed Thanksgiving morning when his lifelong friend and companion, J. W. Milligan, fired a shotgun at a rabbit.

#### NO REST—NO PEACE.

There's no peace and little rest for the one who suffers from a bad back, and distressing urinary disorders. Mt. Sterling people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Be guided by their experience.

Mrs. J. C. McDonald, 115 Queen street, Mt. Sterling, says: "I suffered with my back and had no energy to do my work, especially mornings. I had such dizzy spells I would almost fall. My kidneys weren't acting right at all and I had frequent headaches and nervous spells. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Land & Priest's Drug Store, strengthened my back and relieved the dizzy headaches and other symptoms of kidney trouble."

Price 60¢ at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. McDonald had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. (22-2t)

#### 5TH WAR LOAN TO BE FLOATED IN THE SPRING

Notice that the country must prepare for another extensive war loan campaign, probably in the latter part of April, was given by Secretary McAdoo in a letter to bankers explaining the treasury's program for floating certificates of indebtedness and bonds during the next six months.

The secretary stated that plans for continuous sale of government bonds, recently discussed as a strong possibility, had been abandoned and that plans should be made for "one more great popular campaign." Previously he had announced that the bonds to be offered then would be of short maturity—less than ten years—and it has been indicated that the amount would be around five billions.

Although Mr. McAdoo did not state the time of the campaign, it was learned the treasury plans tentatively to hold it the last three weeks in April. Blocks of treasury certificates of indebtedness ranging in amount between \$500,000,000 and \$750,000,000, will be marketed every two weeks, beginning December 5, to provide funds for running the government until payments from the fifth war loan begin to come in, and these payments then will be used to pay off the certificates.

The first issue of \$600,000,000 minimum announced may be subscribed between December 5 and December 10, will mature May 6, and will bear 4½ per cent. This rate is not considered as affording any indication of the interest to be borne by the fifth war bonds.

In this connection it became known that the treasury had advised the War and Navy Departments that it would be legal and desirable in many cases to pay lump sums to manufacturers with whom contracts are cancelled, to cover loss suffered by the contractors for countermanded orders. Legislation may be necessary, however, to provide for paying claims of manufacturers who have proceeded on telegraphic or letter instructions from the War or Navy Departments and have not actually signed formal contracts.

To close out Odds and Ends of high class Ladies' Shoes, broken sizes, values up to \$8.00, to close out at \$2.48 per pair—Dorothy Dodd and Gold Medal brands.

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#### LETTER FROM KING GEORGE

Soldiers of the United States:

The people of the British Isles welcome you on your way to take your stand beside the armies of many nations now fighting in the Old World the great battle for human freedom.

The Allies will gain new heart and spirit in your company. I wish that I could shake the hand of each one of you and bid you God speed on your mission.

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April, 1918.

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#### SOLDIER'S LETTER

"Somewhere in France."

Oct. 21, 1918.

My Dear Mother, Father and Sis-  
ters:

I am getting along fine, expect to  
be out and going in a few days,  
getting fat and the best of treatment.  
Hope it won't be long until  
we can all be home again, and don't  
think it will take us much longer to  
settle Jerry's hash. Sure would like  
to get a letter from you. Give my  
regards to all and best love to all  
you dear ones. Your loving and  
devoted son and brother,

Tom Robinson.  
Co. E, 126th Infantry.  
A. P. O. 734, A. E. F.

#### DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Mr. Howard Conner died at his  
home on the Maysville pike last  
Tuesday of double pneumonia  
following influenza. The remains  
were taken to Winchester and interred  
in the family lot today. Mr.  
Conner was the son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Zach Conner, of Clark county, and  
was born and reared here. He was  
27 years old. Besides his parents  
he is survived by his widow and  
three little daughters. Mr. Conner  
was an honorable, hard-working,  
industrious young man, highly es-  
teemed and respected by everyone  
who knew him, and his death causes  
much regret.

#### Stock Turkeys for Sale

Pure Mammoth Bronze, Hugo  
King strain, large weight. Both hens  
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is the finest lot I have ever raised.  
Come early and get the choice.

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100 Pairs of Ladies' High Top  
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## The Fordson Tractor

The Fordson tractor, manufactured by Henry Ford & Son at Dearborn, Michigan, is here.

Hundreds of farm owners in this community will be interested in this announcement—in knowing that Fordson tractors are ready for distribution.

The urgent need for greater production and the vital necessity of employing man-saving machinery in farm work is apparent to everyone. Remembering these immense tasks ahead, the coming of the Fordson is of importance to every Farm owner at this time.

## The Oliver No. 7—the Plow for the Fordson

Oliver No. 7 has been built for the Fordson.

Henry Ford & Son recommend it as the plow that will work to the best advantage with their machine.

Oliver No. 7 is strictly a one-man machine. A trip lever right at the operator's hand raises or lowers the bottoms. An even depth adjustment lever is right at hand, too.

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The Oliver No. 7 embodies principles of plow construction founded on sixty years of making plows, of intensive study of every existing soil condition—constant attention to the plow requirements of the tractor since the tractor industry began.

Come in and see this complete outfit—the Fordson and the Oliver No. 7 Plow.

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**Rehabilitation of Soldiers Is  
Work Immediately Ahead**



The great battle for the salvation of the world from German Kultur is not "over and done with" for a good many thousands of the men who have been fighting it, and consequently it is not "over and done with" for the Americans who have been backing them at home.

These thousands are coming back from the battle fields wounded and disabled. Their sacrifices will be continued throughout their lives.

But the sacrifice will be lessened as much as possible by the greatest sur-

gical ability of the world, and by the money of the country.

A considerable part of the last Liberty Loan funds will be used in such rehabilitation work as the world never dreamed of in past years. It will include surgery, artificial limbs, medical services, and finally vocational training which will enable the soldier to take up his life again and make it of value to himself and society.

The picture above shows one retrained soldier for whom a mechanical arm application makes it possible to work in a chemical laboratory.

Walk-Over Shoes at

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Special sale of Hole Proof Sox Friday, Nov. 29th., 30c per pair.

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Lost—An oblong amethyst breast pin about 3 weeks ago. Phone 480.

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The Bourbon Circuit Court at Paris upheld Special Judge George B. Hunt's recent decision that the \$1,000,000 estate of the late P. J. Millett, horseman, is taxable in Bourbon county.

Stetson's Holiday Special Hats.  
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**SAVE 16,000,000 BUSHELS  
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WAS LOST IN THRESHING**

Farmers, Urged by Food Administra-tion, Provide Seven Extra Loaves of Bread for Every American.

By adopting cleaner threshing methods and by literally combing harvest fields to gather grain formerly wasted, threshermen and farmers of the United States this year saved fully 16,000,000 bushels of wheat, estimated as equivalent to about seven one-pound loaves of bread for every person in the country. This result, accompanied by corresponding savings of barley, oats, rye and other grains, is shown by reports from 33 grain states to the U. S. Food Administration. Other states, although not prepared to furnish definite figures of conservation in the grain fields, report greatly reduced harvest losses.

This rural food saving achievement, accomplished in scarcely six months' time, was in direct response to requests by the Food Administration, which asked farmers and threshermen to reduce harvest losses from about 3½ per cent—the estimated average in normal times—to the lowest possible minimum. Country grain threshing committees carried into every grain growing community the official recommendations for accomplishing the results desired.

In numerous instances drivers of racks with leaky bottoms were sent from the fields to repair their equipment and frequently bad order threshing machines were stopped until the cause of waste was removed. But in proportion to the number of persons engaged in gathering the nation's grain crop, cases of compulsion were comparatively rare. The Food Administration freely attributes the success of the grain threshing campaign to patriotic service by farmers, threshermen and their crews. Incidentally grain growers of the United States are many millions of dollars "in pocket" as a result of the grain saved.

**NO ONE SUFFERED HERE.**

The marvel of our voluntary food-saving, now that we are "getting results," is that no one ever actually suffered any hardship from it; that we all are better in health and spirit and better satisfied with ourselves because of our friendly self-denial.

Food control in America held the price of breadstuffs steady, prevented vicious speculation and extortion and preserved tranquillity at home.

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Set steady, don't rock the boat.

Eastern markets are higher since the war than before. The government will not raise the tax on manufactured tobacco.

Wait until the big factory buyers are ready and you will get the high dollar.

We will receive your tobacco any time but would advise that you keep it in bulk until the market opens.

We will have our first sale when the big buyers are ready.

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